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### NO. 17.

# BIG BANK DEFAULTER

Release Granted on \$25,000 Bond--Depositors Protected.

MONEY LOST IN SPECULATION, Beliency was caused by the very cool

Frank G. Bigelow, President of the ce occurred on the 17th, 18th and in First National Bank and Head of the northern sections on the 19th. Subse-American Bankers' Association, is juently the temperature rose consid-Arrested, Charged With Embezzle-

Milwaukee, Special. — Frank C. of precipitation during the week was Bank of this city and formerly luite small, and was limited to light ent of the American Bankers' showers Friday evening in the central bank is \$1,500,000 and a surplus of \$1,200,000. Bigelow signed over propdefalcation, the sum of \$1,635,000 has

The aggregate wealth of the bank approximates over \$20,000,000. The Comptroller of Currency has been ask-

Bigelow admitted that that amount had been lost in speculation and he had falsified the books to cover up the the falsification of figures in the bank's books.

the bank's funds, he had extended and therefore confessed his action.

directors of the bank to protect defrom a stampede. More than a million dollars was guaranteed to the bank run was made on the bank. It is not nicely since the frost. The shipments gerent against the attack of the ene-

the statement of one of the directors. but so cleverly was the work done that neither the directors nor the nafunds of the bank. The first intimaa meeting of the directors and a con-

### DOUBT EFFICIENCY OF FLEET

Observers of Rojestvensky's Fleet in

Kamranh Bay, Special.-The Russian squadron, consisting of 52 ships, ircluding the transports, left Kamranh Bay at noon April 22, and the main portion soon disappeared in a down, and in places slight damage was ortherly direction. Sixteen vesselsthe Russian cruiser Syietlana, the Russian hospital ship Orel, four German transports, seven Danish trans-

mained in the offing. ky prior to his departure say he is by severe pains. All the officers and crews of the Russian ships appeared

to be full of confidence. It is believed here that it is Admiral Rojestvensky's intention to do everything possible to have Admiral Nebogatoff join him before undertaking a decisive battle. A tornedo boat de

stroyer is patrolling the coast. Although the Russian crews were confident of victory, independent obmiral Rojestvensky's warships to be able to inspect them were not unani-

## ADVANCE IN WAGES.

Five Thousand Employees of Colorado Corporation Will Be Benefitted. ment is made, beginning May 1, that five thousand employes of the Coloraemployes and superintendents will re ceive an increase of ten-to twenty per cent and men in the mechanical de-

### RUSSIAN PRINTERS STRIKE. Typos Say They Won't Work on Sundays and Holidays.

partments seven per cent.

St. Petersburg, Special.—Printers suddenly struck Monday, announcing their intention of refusing to work on Sundays and holidays. Only the Russ and Novoe Vremya appeared Monday

### Suicide on German Cruiser.

Newport News, Va., Special.-Lieut. L. A. P. F. Starke, of the German cruieer Bremen, committed suicide aboard as a result of ill health.

### Five Indicted for Peonage.

Athens, Ga., Special.—In the Federal Court Monday indictments for peonage were returned against R. L. Quittmann, Weldon F. Brooks, George S. investigated.

to emigrate to Mississippi. His bond Lumber Company is estimated at \$20, was fixed and he was released.

### NORTH STATE CROP BULLETIN

The Outlook as Viewed by the Department of Agriculture. The temperature during the week

ending Monday, April 24th, averaged learly two degrees daily below the normal, but the larger part of the deweather during the early part of the week; killing frosts with formation of erably, reaching maxim of over 80 per cent. on the 21st, and the condi-Jons became more favorable for the growth of vegetation. The amount

defaulted bank funds to the ex- and eastern portions of the ent of \$1,500,000. The capital of the State; in the west the entire week was dry, and the need of rain is beginerty amounting to \$300,000, making a ning to be felt. The soil, however, is erty amounting to \$3,200,000. Aside in excellent condition for plowing, and Pacific squadron in Kamhanh Bay. An from the surplus which will meet the larm work progressed rapidly. On acbeen subscribed by the directors to count of the check caused by the earmeet any demands which may be made by cold the growth of crops during the past week has been rather slow.

Planting corn is now being pushed vigorously and may now be consid- tain assurances that France would obed to make immediate examination of ered general over the State; in some southern counties all the upland corn has been planted, and the preparation of lowlands is under way. Some early it is understood, while having the usdefalcation. Henry G. Goll, assistant corn was cut back by frost, and re- ual courteous form of diplomacy, they cashier of the bank has been removed, planting is in progress. The planting charged with having been a party to of cotton is proceeding very slowly, though a fair quantity was put in the In making his statement to the di- ground during the week; all evidences rectors of the bank, Mr. Bigelow said point to a considerable diminuation in he had become involved in speculation the acreage to be planted. Tobacco although not given out, tend to give had also been a persistent bull in the plant beds are in fine condition, and wheat market and recent losses in the plants though still small appear grain had been added to heavy losses to be growing nicely and will be plenin Wall street. From manipulation of tiful; a little tobacco has been set in the explanation of the French point of the defalcations until his shortage had extreme southern counties. Wheat, passed the million dollar mark. He saw oats and rye have generally made conno possibility of returning the money, siderable improvement during the brief sojourn, and not a prolonged week; spring oats where up are doing stay, official information leading to the Funds were at once provided by the nicely, but they are slow coming up belief that the squadron actually left in the west. Replanting truck crops Kamranh Bay last Sunday. No Japanpositors against loss, to save the bank that were cut down by frost is proceeding rapidly. Irish potatoes are the stay of the Russian squadron, and, being planted in the west and cabby various stockholders, and no serious bages set. Melons are coming up character of giving asylum to a belli-

thought that any complications with creditors of the bank will follow.

In regard to the damage caused by the state of the 17th and 18th The manipulation of accounts has the killing frosts of the 17th and 18th, French reply was sent, to say whetha large number of the special reports received indicate that the damage to fruit is much less than at first thought. In low ground almost all fruits were tional bank examiners discovered killed, but on all uplands and sloping that anything was wrong with the surfaces permitting drainage of the cold air to lower ground, while the tion that there were irregularities damage especially to peaches is concame to Charles F. Pfister, a director, siderable, fair crops of all fruits were when an employe of the bank gave left on the trees. Cherries, plums, Mr. Pfister information sufficient to pears and apples were not so much start an investigation. Then followed injured. These fruits were too well set and large in the east to receive much injury and the greatest damage probably occurred along the eastern slopes of the Blue Ridge. Of the truck crops Irish potatoes, and beans were quite generally cut to the ground, as were unprotected tomato plants: the injury to peas, cabbage and onions was insignificant. The injury to strawberries was much less than anticipated and will only have the effect of delay ing ripening to some extent. A little very early corn and cotton were cut

done to wheat and clover.

Mr. Arnold Borden Shot. Goldsboro, Special.—About 9 o'clock ports, and three Russian transports re Monday night there occurred one of the most sensational shooting affairs that Those who saw Admiral Rojestven Goldsboro has ever witnessed. One of the most prominent citizens of the tertained that the admiral will carry offering from dysentery, accompanied town, Mr. Arnold Borden, was shot out the formal instructions sent to twice by E. L. Edmundson, also a him. prominent business man. The shoot ing took place in front of the railroad waiting rooms and was witnessed by a number of people who were crowding

the street just at the time. The trouble grew out of personal differences. Mr. Edmunson is in custody. Mr. Borden was taken to the office of Drs. John and William Spicer, where his wounds were examined. It servers who got near enough to Ad was found that he was shot just be low the nibble on the right side of the breast and at this time it is feared mous regarding the efficiency of the that his wounds are more serious than at first thought.

### Noted Stake Winner Sold.

New York, Special.-Major Daingerand the holder of the three-year-old championship in 1902, was sold to P. J. do Fuel and Iron Co., of this city, will Dwyer, in the Fasig-Typton auction receive an advance in wages. Office sale of the horses of William B. Leeds and Andrew Miller, at the Aqueduct race for \$3,000. The stakes won by Major Daingerfield in the past four seasons were worth \$91,905,

14 Die in Convent Fire, Montreal, Special .- The little village of St. Genevieve is in mourning over the loss of 14 lives in a fire, which destroyed the convent of St. Anne there early today. One nun, nine children, ranging in age from 10 to 18 years, and four old women perished in the flames. Two nuns were so severely burned that it is feared that they will die. In their grief over the catastrophe, the villagers find some comfort in relating the heroism displayed by Sister Marie Adjuteur, who gave up her life, and Sisters Marie Therese and Marie Robertine, who the ship on Monday. His fellow off were perhaps fatally burned in their cers declare he was temporarily insane effort to save the lives of the children and helpless old women in their

### LUMBER PLANT BURNED.

Short Lumber Mill at Washington Destroyed-Loss \$20,000. Washington, N. C., Special.-Fire broke out in the saw mill plant be-Huff, Ed. Huff, Rufus Harvey, and Company Monday night. The mill fully twenty more cases are to be was totally destroyed. By hard work the large dry kilns and a large stock T. H. Sappington was arrested on of lumber belonging to the company a charge of trying to induce negroes was saved. The total loss to the Short

## ASK FOR FAIR PLAY WOUNDED CRIMINALS ARRESTED

Japanese Not Satisfied With French Government's Attitude

WANTS FRANCE TO SPEAK OUT

Minister Montono Calls on Foreign Minister Del Casse and Submits Courteous but Earnes! Representaof Rojestvensky in Kamranh Bay.

Paris, By Cable.-Acting upon instructions from his government, Dr. Motono, the Japanese minister to France, called on Fereign Minister Del Casse this evening and submitted representations on behalf of Japan concerning the presence of the Russian official communication issued after the meeting states that Minister Monoto's communication had no character of a formal protest against an alleged violation of neutrality, but was to ob-

The exact terms of Japan's representation has not been disclosed, but set forth that serious apprehensions had been aroused by the stay of the Russian warships in Kamranh Bay, and that urgent desire that French neutrality be placed beyond doubt.

The terms of the French responses, ample assurances upon all the questions raised.

Besides these general \*assurances, the conference doubtless permitted of view concerning the stay of Russian warships in Kamranh Bay. It is ese ships were in the vicinity during therefore, it is held, it had not the

ficient. The opinion prevails here that M. Del Casse's answer is of a nature to prevent serious complications. However, the attitude of Socithe entire question before the cham-M. Presens, one of Jaures' chief on the presence of Russian ships in Indo-Chinese waters. He holds that neutrality has not been observed with sufficient vigor.

The appearance of the question as a political issue in political quarters, leads to the feeling in some quarters that Rojestvensky's presence in indo Chinese waters constitutes a consider able menace to France, and may operate to weaken the bonds between Russia and France.

Paris, By Cable,-A telegram received here from St. Petersburg and understood to be of official origin says: "The Russian Admiralty has notified Admiral Rojestvensky of the grave danger to peace which will be entailed it of Annam is prolonged contrary to the laws of neutrality. No doubt is en-

Facts Not Established.

St. Petersburg, By Cable.-The following statement on the subject of Kamranh Bay has been made: "If Rojestvensky is still at Kam ranh Bay, he will remain outside the three-mile limit as he did during his long stay off Madagascar. Naturally, Japan will file a caveat, just as she would file one with the United States if Rojestvensky should approach the Philippines. Japan's protest is in the nature of a warning. The facts yet

St. Petersburg, By Cable,-Reports

are current here that the Russian second Pacific squadron has already left Kamranh Bay and is on the way to Vladivastock; but the government will proceed with action on the Japanese protest as if the squadron had not continued its voyage. A special service was held at the Admiralty church to offer prayers for the safety of the Vladivostock.

Testifies in South Carolina.

Windsor, Va., Special.-Deputy Sheriff J. H. Kiniry has arrived at the State who is serving a term in the prison for robbing a bank at Newfane, and with whom the deputy has been on a trip to South Carolina. In that State McCarthy testified in a postoffice robbery case, having been taken there as a witness at the request of the South Carolina authorities. McCarthy will leave the prison again soon, to appear as a man who is detained there on suspicion of having been implicated in the bank robbery for which McCarthy is now serving his sentence.

### Wrecked in Burning Bridge,

Rome, Ga., Special.-A part of the first section of the northbound Cincinnati and Florida limited, on the Southern railway, was wrecked in a burning trestle six and a half miles from Rome. No one was killed but several of the crew were injured. The section carried only baggage, express and mail cars. The engine passed over the burning bridge, but the two cars following went into the burning struc-

Postoffice Inspector Swears Out War-

rents on Federal Charge, Postoffice inspector Hardy Gregory Tuesday night at Greensboro swore out United States warrants against the wounded men at Wadesboro as shrdls wounded men held at Wadesboro as Missouri Charley, and is for a postof-tions Regarding the Prolonged Stay March 28th. The other is against James Fisher, alias James Shaffer, is charged with robbing the postoffice at Latta, S. C., Feb. 25th, 1904. The letter was badly shot when the pursuing party captured him, but has improved sufficiently to stand his trial at the preliminary investigation Wedsesday. On the warrants, the names of several Virginians and South Carolinians were endorsed by the commissioner for subpoenas as witnesses for

> Tar Heel Topics. A year ago the stockholders of the the president of the mills, Mr. J. D. cided to build the mill at once. It will stories high. It is to be built of Fort Mill brick, and will accommodate 216 looms and 9,072 spindles. When the new mili is completed, the three 17,000 spindles. Then night cork will negie's offer had become known, sevbe completed by cold weather.

Telegraphic reports Tuesday night to The Carolina Friut and Truckers' Journal, from many points in the down strawberry and vegetable district of teed. North Carolina, indicate that the damage by the cold weather and frosts. It remains for Tokio, to which the throughout the belt. The old berry lante sustained but little damage. but those of last year's planting were rather hard hit, the damage being estimated at something like 25 per cent. The average injury up to the present estimated as follows: Strawberries, alist deputies promises to bring up 15 to 20 per cent; Irish potatoes, 35 to 40 per cent.; beans, peas, etc., 50 to

The date fixed for the corner stone aying of the Crittenton Home, situated on the corner of McDowell and Ninth streets. Charlotte, is Easter Monday, April 24th, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. Chas. Crittenton will be present and participate in the exercises on this occasion. Many Charlotte people who remember Mr. Critlenton and the great meeting that he conducted there a year or more ago, will doubtless be present, together with a large number who have not yet had an opportunity to see the site and the commodious building now nearing completion.

Plans have been completed for the third annual May music festival to by held at Greensboro, beginning May 18th Besides the best vocal talent of that such, such eminent vocalists at Dr. B. Merrill Hopkinson, of Baltimore, and Anita Rise, of New York, will aid in one of the concerts. The chorus will consist of 100 singers from Greensboro and nearby cities, and a large number of these have been training on the "Messiah," Handel's match-

less oratorio, ever since November. President F. P. Vecable, of the State University, says work on the new \$45,-100 laboratory building began Tuesday, Contractor Underwood, of Durham, doing the work. Dr. Venable says he is receiving letters from alumni in all parts of the country pledging themselves for donations toward the raising of the \$50,000, necessary to be raised in order to secure the \$50,000 from Andrew Carnegie for a library building.

He is confident of securing the amount. George Williams and Will Tucker, desperate negroes of Goldsboro, were bound over to court Monday in a \$200 justified bond. They had robbed an old colored man who was standing on a corner counting his money. They grabbed his money and jumped on an outgoing pasenger train, but were captured and taken back to Goldsboro

with the above result. The Governor appoints W. T. Brown of Winston, director of the North Carsquadrona nd its successful arrival at olina Railroad to succeed George P.

Fatally Stabbed in Fight,

Kinston, Special.-Ed. Warters was killed Saturday evening near Wise Fork, five miles from here as the re-Clem Worley, brothers. Warters and the three worleys met in the public road about sunset, and after a few stock. words began fighting. Warters being stabbed so badly that he died within a few minutes. P. B. Worley was caught and lodged in jail. The other two men are at large, but will probably be arrested. The trouble began about a year ago at a dance at the home of the Worleys over a few pea-

Contents of Cars Saved.

Washington, Special.-Reports re-Railway here state that the mail seccaught from forest fires.

## NORTH STATE NEWS

Many Newsy Items Gathered From all Sections.

Charlotte Cotton Market. These prices represent prices paid to Tinges ..... 61/2 to 7.00

General Cotton Market. Middling. Wilmington, dull ......71/4 Norfolk, quiet ......7% Philadelphia, quiet .....8.05 St. Louis, steady ...... 7 9-16 

\$45,000 for Guilford. Greensboro, Special.- For two years Modena Mills, at Gastonia, authorized or more Guilford College has been raising an endowment fund with gratilying success. Now comes the an-Moore, to build a new mill. Friday noucement that Andrew Carnegie has afternoon the directors met and de offered \$45,000 on conditions that frineds of the college will deplicate that sum. This donation was granted be known as Mill No. 3. The building in response to the application of the will be 75 by 150 feet, and will be two trustees of the college through President Hobbs and Mr. J. Elwood Cox, Supporting these gentlemen and the Paris, which were read at length. application were: Carl Schurz, Vice 10,000 spindles, 8,000 of which will be President Fairbanks, Speaker Cannon, put in at once. The two old mills have President Charles D. McIver, President Sharpless, Col. Sam Hill, of Washingtin; Congressman Dixon, of Montana, and other prominent friends of the inmills together will have a little over stitution. In a few hours after Mr. Carstop, and only day work will be done.
This new mill will give employment to all the present night hands. Work is in progress on the building and will that the college will comply with the conditions. When this \$90,000 is secured, with the fund already subscribed, this splendid old North Carolina educational institution will have an endowment fund of \$150,000 fully guaran-

State Printing Contract. E. M. Uzzell & Company, who were for the ensuing two years. This action was taken Wednesday at noon by the State printing commission, which is bers of the State council, and the Commissioner of Labor and Printing, H. B. Varner. There are over four hundred different classes of printing on which prices had to be made in submitting the bids and before the commission awarded the contract they had a detailed estimate of the bids as submitted by the two bidders, E. M. Uzzell & Company and Edwards & Broughton, made. This showed that there were items aggregating \$5,088.08 in which the Uzzell bid was the lowest and items aggregating \$1,038.40 on which Edwards & Broughton's bid was the lowest. Altogether the difference of the bids in favor of Uzzell & Company is \$3.969.68. The printing for the two years will amount to \$60,000.

New Enterprises. A charter is issued for the Distillery Company, of Hamlet, capital \$10,000, incorporators Starkey Hare, A. K. Atkinson, and others. Also the Harnett Grocery Company of Dunn, incorporators, O. P. Shell,

A. H. Parker and others. A charter is issued for the Southern Mutual Indemnity Company, of Charlotte, the incorporators James Allen Houston, J. J. Hutchison, R. D. Moore, W. H. Collins, E. S. Milliams, Geo. J. Williams, R. L. Keesler, J. A. Walker, and others. The Gaskill Hardware and Mill Supply Company, of Newbern, is also chartered with \$10,000, Jas. Gaskill being principal incorporator. A charter is issued for the Cullowhee Mining & Reduction Company, of Cullowhee, Jackson county the authorized capital being \$1,000,000. The incorporators are D. D. Davis, R. E. Bowen, T. A. Cox, J. T. Taylor, and

The Department of State also grants a charter for the Newbern Iron Works, capital \$20,000 subscribed, by W. A. McIntosh, E. H. Williams, W. T. Brin scn, for the purpose of doing a general Iron foundry and machinery business

The Oxford Water & Electric Company has been chartered with \$50,000 capital for the purpose of constructing water works and an electric light plant for the town of Oxford. The incorporaters are Harry L. Millner, of Morgan ton; W. T. Sherman, W. E. Richard son of Washington, D. C.

Application was made Wednesday morning to the Secretary of State for the chartering of a new million and a half dollar corporation at Cullowhee, but the papers had to go back for corsult of a fight with P. B., F. T. and rection, in that they had failed to comply with the law in specifying interests, and some other particulars concerning the issurance of preferred

A special from Wilmington says: Right Reverend Alfred Augustin Watson, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church for the eastern Carolina diocese, died at his home in this city at 3.25 p. m., Friday, after an illness of nearly two years, following a stroke of paralysis. The end came peacefully

A pardon was granted by Governor Glenn for Ernest Porter, sentenced from New Hanover county in 1903, to ceived at headquarters of the Southern serve two years for seduction under promise of marriage. He is pardoned tion of the Florida limited ran into because since the trial, it has been a burning trestle near Rome, Ga., and found that the prosecutrix was not a was derailed, the cars being thrown moral woman and knew that Porter was a married man at the time of the into the bank. The report states that alleged seduction. These facts were there was no loss, the mail and ex- not brought out at the trial and the press being forwarded. The trestle judge joined in the request for pardon.
The father of the prosecutrix also ask-

### STATE SANITATION URGED

Convention at Atlanta Makes Recomand Care of Patients-El Paso, Tex., Gets Next Meeting,

Atlanta, Gai, Special.-El Paso, Texas, was chosen as the next meeting THE LAD CAME SUNDAY EVENING place for the American Anti-Tuberculosis League, all other aspirants for the honor withdrawing in favor of that city. The election of officers resulted

President, Dr. R. E. Conniff, of Sioux City, La.; secretary, Dr. Walter N. Villas, El Paso. The vice presidents from the various States, so far as Ambler, of Asheville, N. C.; C. A. Snodgrass, of St. Louis; E. L. McGhee, of New Orleans; Mark Millikan, of Hamilton, Oo; U. V. Williams, of Kentucky; J. Y. Porter, of Plorida;

The resolutions adopted urged the duty upon the various States of establishing sanitaria for the isolation and

care of tuberculesis patienta. The regular programme of the day was followed, the absence of several speakers necessitating the reading of their papers by title and ordering them spread on the records of the meeting. Among the exceptions to the rule were the papers of Dr. Henry O. Marcy, of Boston, and of Dr. J. R. Rivers, of

### The Patterson Jury.

New York, Special,-The jury which is to decide the fate of Nan Patterson was completed at 7:40 o'clock Wednesday night when Recorder Goff adjourned court until next Monday morning.

Miss Patterson is to again face a jury composed almost entirely of married men, only two of the accepted his home, this condition grew steadily panel of twelve being single-one a

bachelor, the other a widower. Most of the jurymen are men of midhave large families, some grown daugh-

ters who are married. It was announced tonight that the Bay the evening of that day. the State printers for the past two defendant will take the stand again It was on April 1st that Mr. Jefferson story of how Young met his death in his wife on a trip to Europe. It is also alleged Miss Patterson is anxious that her sister Mrs. J. Morgan Smith, should become a witness for the defence, although it has not been determined yet, either by the prosecution or

> Morgan Smiths shall play. place in one of the empty chairs remaining in the box. Recorder Goff turned to the twelve men and delivered the customary warning not to discuss the case or to allow it to be discussed in their hearing. He then adjourned

Carnegie's Niece Married. New York, Special, -It became known Wednesday that Andrew Carnegie's niece, Nancy, was secretly married about a year ago to a riding master named Heaver, whom she met at Newport. The story was confirmed

"My niece was married to Mr. Heaver in New York about a year ago," he said. "Mr. Heaver was a riding teacher in the family. The family has no objection to the match. Mr. Heaver is an honest, upright young man. I had rather Nancy had married a poor, honest man than a worthless duke. We want no rich men in the

Mr. Carnegie said that Mr. and Mrs. Heaver went to Europe immediately after their marriage. They returned a few days ago and are now on a visit

to New England. Mr. Heaver was formerly coachma for his wife's mother, Mrs. Thomas M Carnegie, in Pittsburg, and at her winter home in Fernandina, Fla. He was

### Burned Themselves to Death,

New Orleans, Special.-In an attempt to escape from jail three prisoners set fire to the parish jail at Pontchateula, I.a. Two of the men were cremated and a third badly burned. The dead are: Henry Taylor, Vine Mount, Ala ; James Reilley, Philadelphia. Fatalty burned: Lucein George de Las, Lafayette. La. The men were arrested last night for disorderly conduct.

Got Poisoned Candy By Mail.

Mobile, Ala., Special.-Report was lodged at police headquarters of an attempt made on the life of Mrs. Florence Hogan by means of a box of candy sent her through the mails by the Founders' Night, and in honor of some unknown person, presumably as women friends of "the pla"ers," he a birthday present, yesterday being was present and contributed to the her anniversary. When she cpened pleasure of Ladies' Day whenever posthe box she found it contained the candy, but emitted a peculiar odor and was covered with a fine powder. She took it to a nearby drug store, and was informed that it contained enough poison to kill fifty people. Detectives are on the case and it is understood the government will make an investigation.

### New York Will Participate.

Albany, N. Y., Special.-A bill was introduced in the senate to comply with the request of General Fitzhugh Lee, president of the Jamestown Exposition Company. It provides for the appointment by the governor of a commission of seven to represent the State at the exposition. This commission is directed to provide for a State building and to report the estimated expense proceeded to the palace, to so inform to the Legislature of January, 1906. the prince.

## GREAT PLAYER DEAD

mendations Looking to the Isolation Joseph Jefferson, Prince of American Actors, Passes Away

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Distinguished Actor's Condition Grew Steadily Worse Saturday Night, When It Became Apparent That the Heroic Struggle of Days Had Exhausted His Vitality-Illness Originally Contracted by Discretion in Eating While on Fishing Trip With

West Palm Beach, Fla., Special .-Joseph Jefferson died at his home, "The Reets," at Palm Beach, at 6:15 o'clock Sunday evening. The end came after a day of unconsciousness and after a heroic struggle of days, which had exhausted his vitality. At his death bed were his wife, his sons, Charles B. and Frank Jefferson; his nurse, Miss Mabel Bingham; Dr. R. B. Potter, and his faithful old servant, Carl Kottler.

The end was not a surprise to his family. Ever since his last sinking spell, which came after a rally on Thursday morning, and which was followed by an improvement until Friday, the family has been waiting for the end. Mr. Jefferson's condition Saturday night grew steadily worse, and the family, who had retired, were summoned from their beds and Dr. Potter was called. The patient's conditi vn continued to grow weak all through today, and the brief bulletins from the beside contained no words of encour-

The sickness of Mr. Jefferson, which ended in his death, was contracted, it is believed, while on a recent visit to his son, Charles B. Jefferson, at Hobe Sound, a few miles above Palm Beach, where he went to meet his friend. former President Cleveland. It is believed that from a slight indiscretion in his eating there, he suffered an attack of indigestion. Since his return to worse, with slight rallies, until the

The body of Mr. Jefferson will be taken to Buzzard's Bay on a special dle age and beyond. Many of them train, accompanied by all the members of his family who are here. It will reach New York Wednesday morning, and the family hope to reach Buzzard's

land and other friends at the home of his son, Charles B. Jefferson, The party spent about a week there, and during that time there were frequent fishing expeditions.

When Jefferson became ill he returned at once to The Reefs and was taken to his room on the second floor of the cottage, which is only 100 feet from the ocean, and where he could watch the sea. The weather was favorable throughout his illness. Dr. Potter, the When the last juror had taken his family physician at the Florida home, lived three miles from The Reefs, and went only occasionally to the bedside of his patient, feeling that Mr. Jeffer

son might survive. take nourishment and to retain it. At one time he called for chicken broth and then thought he was well enough to eat the meat. But this was denied him. Dr. Potter was so confident Thursday at 4 o'clock that he told a reporter at the time that he believed Mr. Jeff-

erson would recover. JEFFERSON'S CAREER.

New York, Special.-Mr. Jefferson was president of the Players' Club, in this city, and the news of his death was received with many expressions of regret. The Players' Club has had fare than Mr. Jefferson, and none that worked more untiringly. With Edwin Booth, Lawrence Barrett, Augustin Daly, A. H. Palmer, Brander Matthews, John Drew, S. L. Clemens and several cthers, Mr. Jefferson signed articles of incorporation for the club in 1888, and he was elected to the board of direc tors. In 1893, his portrait by Sargent was hung on the wall of the club, a gift from Booth and Barrett. After the death of Mr. Booth, in 1893, Mr. Jefferson was elected president of the club, and has been re-elected to that office at every annual meeting since.

He presided at the memorial meet. ing, November 13, 1898, at the Madison Square Concert Hall, in this city, in commemoration of Edwin Booth's present 60th birthday, upon which occasion he delivered an address, introducing as the speakers of that occassion Parke Godwin, Tommasco Salvini Henry Irving and the poet, George E, Woodbury. On the founders' night, December 31, 1893, he delivered an eloquent address as president, recalling the memory of Mr. Booth in simple and touching words.

Mr. Jefferson was at every Founders' Night annually until 1890, when he was absent on account of illness; nor was he permitted to be present on the recurrence of that occasion, which absences were sometimes caused by illhealth, but principally on account of activity in his calling.

In compensation for his absence for was present and contributed to the winter in a Southern climate had prevented him from being present in the club house, except for occasional brief visits, in late years.

Joseph Jefferson was born in Philadelphia, February 20, 1829, and was looked upon as the dean of the dramatic profession in this country.

The Cretan Chamber of Deputies was opened by Prince George, of Greece. the high commissioner of the powers. who, in his speech, blamed the revolutionists and declared his readiness to grant every reasonable reform pro ly proposed. On the withdrawal of the prince, the Chamber of Deputies unant imously declared in favor of the union and exhibit, costing not over \$150,000, of Crete and Greece, and the deputies

Three Months



THINGS OUT OF JOINT.

Sensational Report by New Hanover Grand Jury

above caption is clipped from the tent. Raleigh Post:

"Wilmington, N C., Apr. 8, Special The grand jury of the superior court made a most sensational report to-day, in part saying:

'We recommend that the city police force be purged of several unbe better fitted for other employment. We also urge the enforcement of the recent vagran y law. It is a disgrace to the county that no facilities have been provided for mittance. We respectfully recom- ing, both made their escape. mend that the jail be supplied with a bath room, that all prisoners be respectfully report that upon perso. they let these men escape? They nal inspection we have ascertained are paid by the State to see that that the public school facilities of these men do not escape. There the city are inadequate to the needs of the rapidly increasing white population. Many of the local teachers have nearly double the number of lowed to escape. pupils in their charge to which they should properly be assigned. Notwithstanding this there are still several hundred children without school facilities, growing up in idleness and with many instances of sinful or criminal tendencies,"

"Out of joint" !! Is this the same Wilmington that revoluted a few years ago under the generalship of Observer says there are charges of purged herself of her manyfold from Goldsboro, Durham and Charabominations in the twinkling of a sheeps tail after a brief but sanguinary conflict in which a large but indefinite number of inoffensive negroes lost their lives? Can it be that the police force who are the very creatures of the Waddell regime-the foster children of the Simmons Aycock reign of terror and blood have so lost sight of the lofty ideals held up to them by this trio of bellicose statesmen that THEY need purging?

Sooner let mid-day blush to own her sun! Is it possible that vagrants abound in a city so highly favored with "good government" in this era of peace and plenty? Does the Cape Fear river not afford sufficient water with which to cleanse the "unwashed" of Waddell's belligerents, and has its application been so long abandoned under good democratic rule that the grand jury must lish to the world such a palpable vivery apples of Boss Simmons' eye in that mob-ridden city? In this time of educational revival of which we have heard so much is it conceivable that the public schools as well as the prison are down at the heels, out at the elbows and in need of purging and cleansing? Far be it from us to so allege.

But the foregoing report of the grand jury speaks for itself. It is presumed to have been made by good men-most if not all demo- Edmundson left the city hall where and walked out. The old man crats and sealed with their sacred they voted they came down the scratched his head for a moment

In this connection it may not be amiss to note that at the recent democratic primary which is equivolent to election, this same Waddell received a majority of the votes of with the lie. Mr. Borden promptly his party for mayor, and will again It was an exciting moment for the a parent not to give his child a fairly cold in death covered in his own waddle into the same place where the so called revolution of 1898, placed him as a refugee from starvation. In Chatham County whence this pugnacious Colonel migrated the name is Waddle. After residing vielle, who when Edmundson pulled per in their home unless it accident. Genesis. The transaction seems to a sort of a lawyer-revolutionest, the name becomes WAD DELL.

"The Washington Star wants to birthday with big dinners, as Jefferson's disciples celebrate the birthday of the author of the declaration of

before he would attend one himself. at first thought.

BUT HE'S A DEMOCRAT.

The News and Observer says that Gov. Glenn should not have gone to Washington in the interest of Cas. per, the Winston whiskey dealer, who was fined at last term of Federal Court in Greensboro. That is an exceedingly mild way for such a venomous paper as the Observer to 1.00 express it. But then you know the Governor is a democrat and the Observer claims to be democratic too f a Republican Governor had gone to Washington and interceded for a whiskey dealer, who had violated the law, the News and Observer and other yellow journals in the State would have set up a great howl and asked for a special session of the Legislature to impeach him for mal-State. But then, no one expects The following article under the the News and Observer to be consis-

Nearly every week we hear of two or three convicts making their John Watson, a white man, who Enterprise. worthy and incapable men who may was convicted of murder in Vance county last October, and was sentencee for a term of twenty-five years in the penitentiary, and Will Smith, a negro, who was serving a cleansing prisoners upon their ad- sentence of ten years for housebreak-

our good government officials? Are riety, and they know his bark is and be clad in jail garments. We they negligent of duty or why do only the bark of a yellow dog.—Dashould be an investigation as to the cause of so many convicts being al- Democratic party in North Carolina

wash and begin.

The democrats of Raleigh held a primary Thursday and the News and

A "blind tiger" got in trouble in Raleigh last week for selling whiskey on election day. If the blind tigers want to avoid trouble they mustn't sell whiskey on election days, they must, at least, have that much respect for the law.

SHOOTING AFFRAY IN GOLDSBORO

E. L. Edmundson Shoots Arnold Borden Quarrel Over Election Cause of Tragedy.

citizens of the town Mr. Arnold Bor- mission later on!- Lavie Record. den was shot twice by E. L. Edmundson, also a prominent business man. The shooting took place in thus turn states evidence and pub- front of the railroad waiting rooms and was witnessed by a number of He was anxious to know what his at this rate bought immense droves, olation of common decency by the people who were crowding the son would make. One morning be- with which they proceeded to fill

street just at that time. the ward meetings.

prohibitionist.

street together and it is said by those and then looked up and said. who heard a part of the conversation ish aul plain now; me poy ish goin' mundson of making the indictment tician.—Times Mercury. against the card-players.

This caused Edmundson to reply used his fist on Edmundson's face. spectators who saw Edmundson re- good education. Without that the blood. treat a step or two and pull a pistol ordinary child is at a hopeless disadcovered with a handkerchief from vantage in the latter day struggle. his coat pocket. Edmundson fired over to the drug store of M. E. Rob- we knew had a house full of chil- place for his family. Ephram, the

tody at this writing. know why the disciples of Alexan- store of the Higgins Drug Company if you was to ask that man to read pay, He accordingly went to the der Hamilton do not celebrate his and at the solicitation of friends a chapter in the book of Sampson gate of the city and weighed the pulled off his coat before he found he would put in a half day looking money, which he paid in the presout that he was shot.

Possibly because they are not as wounds were examined, it was cows.—Peoples Paper. big hypocrites as those who have the found that he was shot just below Jefferson dinner. If Jefferson were breast and at this time it is feared the nipple on the right side of the living he would get a ten-cent lunch that his wound is more serious than

FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

ered With Our Paste-Pot and Shears.

A man who cuts out his adver- When the Republicans turned the tisement in order to cut down ex- state over to the Democratic legislatern Ledger.

gone forever .- Raleigh Enterprise. many millions greater than it was at the other side and any effort to under Republican administration.

Democrats Seeking Jobs.

We see some men smelling round doing nothing, waiting for the election to get a job under the new adpractice in office and being in collu- ministration, that would not be alsion with the law-breakers of the lowed to drive a muly bull to a scavenger cart in the jungles of Africa,-Charlotte Peoples Paper.

We presume that Governor Glenn appeared for his former client who failed to score all the whiskey he shipped from force of habit. It is escape from the penitentiary or hardly just to wrench a man from from the State farms. Last week old habits too suddenly.—Raleigh

Most of the Democratic newspapers have stopped their yelping at Yerkes and Dixon, having discovered the insanity of the abuse; but the News and Observer continues to spit venom out of is slimy mouth; but after all, the people know Jo-What is the matter with some of sephus Daniels, of Buffilo-calf notovie Record.

Mr. R. N Hackett, of Wilkesboro, one of the most active men in the was in the city last week, and to a Chronicle r port r said, there is The News and Observer is always much dissatisfaction in his party in their congregations to vote for sowanting to investigate and here's a the Western part of the State, and good job for it. Buy some white- that the people were very thankful the Legislature was a tning of the past.—Peoples Paper.

government the Charlotte Observer censed saloons. says it's "about as rank as a thing But this all seems to be a habit can be, but no worse than the North Carolina Legislature treated Charlotte and for a less reason, for Republican rule was not involved in their town." Local self government in North Carolina is one of the lost arts.—Davie Record.

Look Out!

"The assessment for taxation for 1903-'04 was \$33,687,807," and will be largely increased for the present B. R. LACY, State Treasurer.

State Treasurer Lacy in his adver- As the offerings were light their tisement for bids for the \$250,000 Goldsboro, N. C., April 24-About bonds offered for sale. Tax payers few. As soon as the advance price 9 oclock to-night there occurred one read these words and don't forget, had been widely telegraphed (and of the most sensational shooting af- "AND WILL BE LARGELY IN- the cunning supervision of market fairs that Goldsboro has ever wit- CREASED FOR THE PRESENT YEAR." nessed. One of the most prominent Look out for the Corporation Com-

A North Carolina Politician.

A Dutchman had an only son. fore the son woke he decided to test cellars." It is the night for the nomination him. He took a glass of liquor, a of Aldermen and every voter who pack of cards and a Bible and placed could leave home was out to attend them on a table by his boy's bed. He said: "Ef the boy take the lick-Mr. Edmundson who was a caudi- er, he pees a drunkard, if he take date in his ward had been defeated the cards, he pees a gambler; and if because he was known to be a rigid he take the Pible, he pees von preacher," The father hid himself He and Mr. Borden were at the to see. The boy awoke, got up and ame polling place and got into a dressed. He then viewed the concontroversy. Mr. Edmundson was tents. He looked wise, cleared his on the grand jury last week when a throat and swallowed down the linumber of people were indicted for quor, put the cards in his pocket, playing cards. When Borden and and placed the Bible under his arm

How Will It Be After 1908?

Many children are growing up in

State Indebtedness.

urer Lacy, the whole report of which |-Ex.

we hope to print next week, the state of North Carolina is in debt uibs of Interest We Have Gath- \$6,843,450, and has stocks amounting to \$7,028,000 -leaving a balance

in favor of the state of \$178,550.

-North State.

seems to us to be a rather large in- President and one by Dr. Lambert crease for these prosperous times in and P. B. Stewart of Colorado time of peace. During this time Springs. If it should appear that the "ne- debts of farmers of Davidson county gro problem" has at last been set- have been greatly decreased. It is its present location and no attempt tled, the occupation of a number of also true that the assessments of will be made to cross the Divide windy editors and orators would be property for taxation in the state is Fifteen feet of snow is on the ground

Billiard Tables or Saloons, Which? Mr. Benton in his 'Thiry Years View in the United States Senate" tells of a strong man in the Legislature of the state of Tenn., who conceived a strong hatred against billall the leading hotels of that state.

ed in destroying this form of public cannot be verified. amusement, much to his own satisfaction, feeling that he had done a good work that met the approval of all good men.

After ten years he introduced a abolished, he had set up ten card tamany blind tigers have been set up for every saloon abolished?

We remember it was said "public gists sentiment was to be created and enacted in law" when this work was

But who shall undo this horrid work and abolish the blind tigers when these bands of lawless men have begun their secret work of lawbreaking by night and red handed led to defy the law of God and man alike.

Have not the politicians harnessed up the Clergy and driven them on in this work, expecting them to lead called "good government."

Was it not declared openly in the last Legislature that "Senator Simmons was more loved than all the preachers in the State" thus admitting the Clergy had lost the love When a town gets Repulican in and respect of the people of the Alabama, and they will get that way State? This condition is more to be All druggists, guarantees them at sometimes, all the Governor has to deplored than the fact that in South do is to oust the men elected and Carolina the number of cases of the doughty Col. Waddell and shook FRAUD in the fourth Ward. News appoint Democrats. The Legislature manslaughter doubled in six years off the shackles of negro rule and of fraud and corruption comes made it easy for the Governor. under the dispensary's compared Commenting on this kind of State with the last six years under the li-

> How the Beef Trust Rigs the Live-Stock Market, and Always Be ats the Farmer.

y's Magazine Mr. Charles E. Russel, in his article on "The Greatest Trust in the World," shows exactly how the Beef Trust manipulates the market. "On Monday, February 6, 1905," he says, "the Chicago receipts urday. This afforded the exact situation that best suits the Trust manplease, and they put up the price of The above language is used by hogs 25 cents a hundred weight. purchases at the high figure were quotations has been reduced by the directions. On Wednesday they arrived. Immediately the Trust put than Monday's opening figures, and

MURDER IN ROWAN.

Fifteen Year Old Boy Shot by Assa Son of James Canup, Sr.

Salisbury, N. C., April 24-Jame Canup, Sr., nightwatchman at the lumber yard of C. A. Rice in this city, was shot and instantly killed at ten o'clock last night by an unknown person or persons who fired upon the lad in the darkness.

Young Canup was making a round of the lumber yard premises while Mr. Canup remained in the office of the yards. Young Canup had about had time to complete the round that Mr. Borden accused Mr. Ed-mundson of making the indictment to pe von tamed North Carolina poli-father heard the sharp report of a pistol in the direction of the outer edge of the yard. He at once set out in search of his son and after It is criminal neglect morally for considerable searching found him

The First Recorded Sale of Land. The first sale of land of which twice and ran down the street. He this county without any schooling, there is any definite record is that was intercepted by Wayne Fon- many of them never saw a newspa. mentioned in the 23rd chapter of in the city becoming a Colonel and his gun grabbed a chair sitting on ly blowed in from a neighbors home. have been very simple. Abraham the sidewalk. Edmundson went We asked a man the other day that wished to buy a field for a burial inson & Bro. where he is under cu- dren what papers he was taking he owner of the field, valued it at 400 said none, the Bible was all he shekels of silver, about \$200 of our Mr. Borden walked into the drug wanted. It's dollars to dough nuts money, which Abraham agreed to for the book. The Bible is the book ence of all who entered through the He was taken to the office of Drs. of all books, but that fellow's chil- gate. This simple ceremony, with-John and William Spicer where his dren will grow up as Ignorant as out the intervention of lawyers or other officials, made "the field and the cave that was therein and all the trees that were in the field, and in all the borders around about," From the statement of State Treas | sure unto Abraham for a possession.

PRESIDENT KILLS ANOTHER BEAR

Two are killed by other Members of Party-Wild Cats are Plentiful.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., Apr. 25 President Roosevelt's hunting trip has been prowned with success far beyond his expectations or those of penses is as wise as the man who ture of 1898 the debts of the State the most sanguine of his guides. takes the bait off his hook in order amounted to about one million dol- Three bears were killed by the party to save worms when fishing .- Eas- lars less than they do now. This today and two yesterday, one by the

The party is almost snowbound in reach Red Stone would be futile. Bob cats are thick in the country now being bunted, so plentiful in fact, that many are allowed to escape without a shot, Several fine skins have been taken however.

The bear killed by the P esident yesterday was one of the brown variesy, not so heavy, but furnishing iard tables that were to be seen in a much finer pelt than the first animal killed. One of the bears killed By a long, hard fight he succeed- today is said to be a grizzly, but this

A DAREDEVIL RIDE

accidental injuries, use Buckl n's Arnic Salve. 'A deep bill to repeal his own law, declaring wound in my foot, from an acci that for every billiard table he had dent," writes Theodore Scheale, of Columbns O, cau s d me great bles. Will someone tell us how pain. Paysicians were helpless, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly healed it." Soothes and heals burns like magic. 25c. at all drug-

> Ru-sia's Sinking Fund. From Life.

"I see that Russia is putting another large sum into a new navy." "Yes-that's her sinking fund."

CHEATED DEATH.

Kidney trouble often ends fataly, but by chosing the right medicine, E. H Wole, of Bear Grove, Iowa cheated death. He says "Two years ago I had Kidney Tronb e, which eaused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand since, as I find they have no equal.'

His Razor was Dull.

The following is an epitaph that a colored gentleman wrote of his iend who attended the festival and did not return-

"His soul fell from his body like the acorn from the hull, In the May number of Everybod- He fought a good fight, but his razor was dull."

FRIGHTFUL SUFFERING RE-

Suffering frightfully from the virulent poisons of undigested of hogs were light, 88,000 as as food, C. G. Grayson, of Lula, Miss., against 56,000 on the previous Sat- took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes, "that I was cured." All somach and agers. They can make prices as they bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties 25c. at all drug stores, guaranteee.

> The last small-pox patient will be dismissed from the Wake county pest house this week.

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Bad Fire at Hobgood.

Hobgood, April 23.-Fire broke out at 3:30 a. m., in the store of E. W. Station here totally destroying his entire stock together with two barber shops, and one restaurant. Loss about \$3,000; partially covered by insurance.

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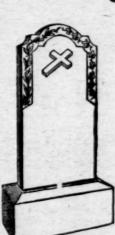
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Our news from Sampson did not Tom and Clem. reach us in time for publication this column next week.

Died in Back Lot.

the county court house here yester- blow from behind day morning, having died sometime death by natural causes.

Funeral of late Bishop A. A. Watson. Wilmington, N. C., April 25 -Carolina will be conducted from St. men who are now in jail here. James' Episcopal Church this afternoon at 4 o'cleck and the body interred here.

NAMILE.

Were Burned. Explosion of Dynamite Awakened Family-Revenge of Hlockaders.

not been for the explosion of some 519; stock at all United States ports dynamite which Mr. Stanley had 698,278; stock at all United States might have burned up.

for them as he thinks they were the last year 122,000.

ones who set the house on fire to revenge themselves for his testimony against them.

Thief Steals Ticket Case of Howland Im-

provement Company, Also Some

There have been several cases of taken after the shooting. burglary in Morehead City in the stamps for his pains.

The office of D. B. Wade & Sons, fish dealers, was broken into Friday night, and finding nothing of value breaking a typewriter, cutting telephone wires, etc.

was broken into last night and about crat. \$25 in money and checks for about \$75 were secured, and the burglar provided himself with sufficient transportation to last him sometime by removing and taking with him

ARE THEY FIGHTING?

A Report of Naval Battle in Far East. London, April 25 .- Reports from | der. Tsing Tau made by German cruiser Sperber regarded here as confirmation theory naval battle of some sort has already been fought in the far From Brooklyn Standard-Union.] East, heavy cannonading reported by several vessels on Saturday night, can be understood after news disaare of the belief that the damaged Japanese ship is probably one of Togo's scouts which encountered Russians as they left their resting place in Kamranh bay. The Longstay the Russians made there made it possible for Togo to assemble good size fleet near there if he desired to do so.

### The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this

country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or appropriate the country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or appropriate the country are of the country most dangerous because so deceptive. apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often through the day, and to get up many times during the The mild and the extraordinary

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BROKE HIS NO IC

Ed Waters Meets Death in fi be to 1 B. Worley and two Kinston, N. C., April 24,-

fight Saturday evening near Kine ton, young Ed Waters was killed by Mr. P. B. Worley and his two sons,

Tom and Clem Worley attacked week, but we will have in a good Waters with knives, and then father went to their assistance. Waters was cut in several places, but not seriously. In some mysterious way Statesville, N. C, April 24-Louis during the fight Waters' neck was Allen, who was about 46 years of broken low down just above the age, was found dead in a lot back of shoulders, presumably by a heavy

Mr. P. B. Worley was released in between 11 o'clock Saturday night \$500 bond for his appearance at and Sunday morning. There was court. The two sons attempted to no evidence of foul play, so the cor. make their escape, but were captured oner's jury returned a verdict of late that night about five miles from the sc-ne of the affray at the home of Mc. P. Davenport. These parties are all well and favorably known farmers, the Waters family living in this, Lenoir county, and the The funeral exercises over the re- Worleys living just over the line in mains of the late Bishop A. A. Wat Jones county. Able counsel has son, of the Eastern Diocese of North been retained to defend the young

Comparative Cotton Statement. New York, April 24 -For the SAVED BY EXPLOSION OF DY. week ending April 21, 1904; Net receipts at all U.S. ports during week 165,629; net receipts at all U. S Barns of Mr. Stanley, Near Greensboro, ports same week last year 56,184; total receipts since September 1st, First National Bank of Milwaukee, 8,364,732; total receipts to same Wis, and recently president of the novel advertisement of Perry & date last year 6,832,502; exports for Greensboro, N. C., April 25 —The the week 121,759; exports for same ouse and barns of Mr. Isaac Stanley, week la t year 111,078; total exports a prosperous farmer living near here, since September 1st, 6,647,992; total was burned last night, and if it had exports same date last year 5,337, stored in the barn the whole family ports same time last year 402,895; stock at all interior towns 500,001; The fire is believed to be incendi- stock at all interior towns same ary and the officers are said to have time last year 211,787; stock at Liva strong clue to the guilty parties. erpool same time last year 574,000; Mr. Stanley was the prosecuting stock of American affoat for Great witness in a case against some block- Britain 211,000; stock of American aders and he has had warrants issued affoat for Great Britain same time

Trial of Nan Patterson Resumed Tuesday has been living in seclusion at the New York, April 25 .- The trial Tavern of Tamalpais, Mount Tamalof Nan Patterson was resumed this pais Cal., engaged in writing a novmorning by calling to the stand of lette for the The Smart Set Maga-Walter Norris, the desk sergeant of Morehead City, N. C., April 24.- the Station house where Nan wgs

He identified the revolver and the last few days. The post-office was number of shells it contained, and broken into through the back win- said the chamber contained three bill

A.Descendant of Da niel Boone Mr. Gilliam Coffey, father-in-law which could be handily removed, of friend Jim Blair, of Banner Etk, the thief contented himself with who is now 95 years of age, has just completed the reading of the life of Daniel Boone without glasses. By He hit the Howland Improve- the way, Mr. Coffey is a grand-son ment Company a little heavier, now- of this historic hunter, and a most ever. Their up town ticket office wonderful man .- Watauga Demo-

No Ghosts Wanted.

From the Columbus Dispatch.] The Parson-Wouldn't you like to have your wife come to see you occasionally?

The Prisoner-Not on your life.

The Parson-Why? The Prisoner-You evidently are not aware that I'm in for wife mur-

The Reason.

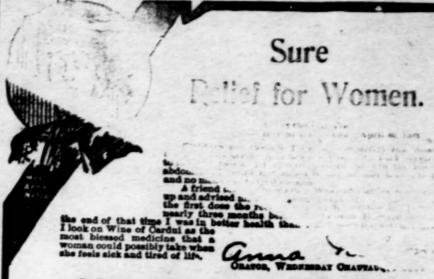
Mr. Bryan says the Democratic party must go back to the people, after Russian fleet left Kamranh bay, but the reason the Democratic party has lost the people is because it has bled Japanese vessel. Naval experts been going back while the people are going forward.

LAST HOPE VANISHED.

When leading p ysicians said th t W. M. Smithart, of Pekin, Ia, had incurable consumption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 10 years, and consider it a maryelous throat and lung cure." Strictly scientific cure for Coughs, Sore Throats or Colds; sure preventive of Pneumosia. Guaranteed, 50c. and \$100 bottles at all druggists. Trial bottle free.

Literary Note.

The publication day of the first number of Tales, originally fixed for the 22d of this month, has been changed to the 20th of May. The postponement has been unavoidable, owing to the enormous number of manuscripts that had to be read. ECZEMA CAN BE CURED AT SMALL COST.—
The restortal compine as it did from The material, coming as it did from all parts of the world, accumulated beyond all expectation; and as the publishers are anxious to give the magazine as representative a character as possible, the change of date will, no doubt, prove to the advantage of its readers. The publishers announce that the first issue will contain stories from the French, German, Italian, Scandinavian, Russian, and Spanish, as well as an American and Spanish- are written by the four representative women writers of Europe; while the serial is from the French Academy.



dition comes by slow stages. Usually the important function of menstruction is at first slightly irregular. Then comes the painful periods. Bearing-down pains and ovarian inflammation follow. Finally the nervous system gives way and the whole system has become affected and the pains rack the body from

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President Defaults

extent of \$1,500,000.

Mrs. I. F. Dortch of Goldsboro, died in Raleigh Monday morning.

Over one hundred cars of strawberries have been shipped from the Chadbourn belt near Wilmington in the past few days.

Literary Note.

Mrs. Gertrude Atherton, since her return from Europe last November, still and cap of Townsand "The Traveling Thirds" and deals Americans and an English captain Dix n who travel third-class through Spain local color for this story, the author lism Garrett.

At H ffman N. C , Feb 8 ,1905, 2 herself recently toured Spain in third-plass compartments and says that she enjoyed the experience immensely.

From Mount Tamalpais Mrs. Athwhere she will spend a fortnight dan Mangem. putting the finishing touches to her novlette, and then she will sail for barrel of corn whiskey, 45 gallous of Will Mangum. Munich, where she resided for a make her permanent home.

Not Fatal.

No Matter What Doctors Say-We Know That Heart Trouble in Many Cases Can Be Cured.

There are seven main features of heart disease, viz.: (1) Weakness or Debility; (2) Rheumatism or Neuralgia; (3) Valvular Disorder; (4) Dilation; (5) Enlargement; (6) Fatty Degenera-

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NOTICE OF SEIZURE.

Not ce is hereby given of seizure of the .ollowing prope to for violation of the internal revenue laws of the U. it d States.

At | ou sburg, N. C., Dec. 7, 1904, 5 gillons corn whisk; y of unknown.
At Timberlake, N. C., Dec., 30, 1904,
still and can of Townsand. At Stallings, N U., Dec. 19., 1904, 2 Packages corn whiske j 65 gallons of unknowa.

At Durham, N. C., Nov. 29, 1904, 1 lette for the The Smart Set Maga- keg 5 gallons corn whiskey, one jug zine. The story will be entitled 1 gs. on rye whiskey, % barrel bottled beer of Bertha Brown At Turkey, N. C., January 16, 1905, with the adventure of a party of 3 jugs, 5 gallons corn whiskey of J. M.

At Wilmingt n N. . Feb. 10, 1995, so they may come in closer contact 2 jugs 8 gallons corn whiskey of C. W dow Thursday night, but the thief cartridges, one discharged shell and only found about a dollar's worth of one empty chamber.

with the people. In order to get personal impressions and the proper to get personal impressions and the proper to get the people in the peo

> barrels corn whi key 114 gallons of At Hamlet, N. C., Feb. 14, 1905, 1 barrel corn whiskey, 47 gallons of u -

known. At Durham, N. C., March 1, 1905, 6 erton has just arrived in New York, gallons corn whiskey, one rifle of Jor-At Durham, N. C., March 17, 1905, 1

At Hoffman, N C , Jan. 21, 1905, 2 time, and where she has decided to jugs corn whiskey, 8 gallon; of James

At Hoffman, N. C., Jan. 24, 1905, 3 jugs corn whickey, 11 ga lons of Z. F. Long. At Benson, N. C., March 29, 1905, 1 copper still, copper cap and worm of Bud Johnson, \* t Bardes Store, March 29, 19 5, 1 keg corn whiskey, 5 gallons of Garry Johnson . At Oakiey, N. C., March 80, 1905, 2

barrels corn whiskey, 92.7 gallons of At Hamlet, N. C., March 28, 1905, 10 gallons of unknown.
At Wilmington, N. C, April 4, 1905,

2 barrels grape brandy, 48 % gallons of At Hobgood, N. C, April 12, 1905, 24 gallons rye whiskey in bottles of R. J. Staten.

905, 2 mules, 1 two horse wagon, 1 set of double harness, 3 barrels corn whiskey, 125 gallons of unknown. At Lemon Springs, N. C., April 20,

1905, one jug 2 galions corn whiskey of O. Z. Perry.

At Fremont, N. C., April 4, 1905, 1 copper still, one copper condenser, 1 mash keel, 4 fermenters, one worm tub, 3 receiving cisterns, 1 20 horse-power engine, 4 packages corn whiskey, 191 2-10 gailons 4 gailons in cistern and distillery premises of Sanford

At Durham, N. C., March 17, 1905, 2 kegs 12 gallons corn whiskey of John Persons claiming the above property will file their claims with me in my office within 30 days as required by asw, or the same will be forfeited

the use of the United States. E. C. DUNCAN, Collector, J. P. H. ADAMS, Dep. Collector. pril 21, 1905. Raleigh, N. C. April 21, 1905.

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- ST. LOUIS, MO.

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Schedule effec. 170 January 8th

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No. 43. SEABOARD LOCAL MAIL for Charlotte, Atlanta and all local points, Connects at Atlanta for all points south and southwest.

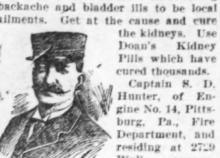
m. "SEABOARD MAIL for Southern Pines, Pinehursi Atlanta, Columbia, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa and all points south and south-

Tickets on sale to all points, Pullman berths reserved, tickets delivered at residence from UP-TOWN TICKET OFFICE, Yarborough House Huilding, HAMORSUN, C. P. & T. A.

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h bad husband. So. 17. If you are willing God should be your guide He will be your guard.

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Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever use! for all affections of throat and lungs.—WM. O. Endsley, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1903. A former army officer plays a hand organ on the streets of Sheffield, England.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, soften the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c. a bottle.

Fruits grown in China are usually in-

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never Pails. Sold by all druggists, \$1. Mail orders promptly filled by Dr. E. Detchon, Crawfordsville, Ind.

The Peruvian railways have all been con-

Coldness of Spring Water.

'It is a fact." remarked the head department, "that spring water keeps colder very much longer than ordithrough Philadelphia water pipes. You can make the test, even in summer, by going to Fairmount park, drawing a jug of spring water, bringing it home and putting it in your cellar. Not only will it not get warm during the trip to your house, but it will remain much colder than will hydrant water drawn and kept be of Americans, especially among the over the board. If, after a while, the side it for a number of hours. This is said to be due to the lack of warm animal matter in the spring water, which is filtered through the earth At any rate, it's a great pity we couldn't have just such water here in Philadelphia."-Philadelphia Record.

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ful and irregular menstruation.

weaknesses and diseases.

to thousands of sufferers.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:-

It provides a safe and sure way of es-

The two following letters tell so con-

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Your medicine is indeed an ideal medicine

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sion Street, Buffalo, N. Y., writes:

Suffering.

While no woman is entirely free from | Vegetable Compound sooner; for I have tried

periodical suffering, it does not seem to be the plan of nature that women "I dreaded the approach of my menstrual

be the plan of nature that women should suffer so severely. Menstruation is a severe strain on a woman's Compound two months I became regular and control and suffering for me, but after I had used the Compound two months I became regular and control and are now parfactly well and free

vitality. If it is painful or irregular natural and am now perfectly well and free something is wrong which should be set right or it will lead to a serious derangement of the whole female organ-

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Lon't hesitate to write to Mrs.

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Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I might have have been spared many months of suffering and pain had I only known of the efficacy of Lydia E. Pinkham's thousands. Address Lynn, Mass.

Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice-A Woman Best Understands a Woman's file.

Vegetable Compound overcomes pain- remedy for all the distressing ills of

BABY'S AWFUL ECZEMA

Face Like Raw Beef-Thought She Would Lose Her Ear-Healed Without a Elemith-Mother Thanks Culicura.

"My little girl had eczema very bad when she was ten months o'd. I thought she would lose her right ear. It had turned black, and her face was like a piece of raw meat, and very sore. It wou'd bleed when I washed her, and I had to keep cloths on it day and night. There corn land enough before planting. was not a clear spot on her face when I be- Break it early and deep, and let it lie gan tising Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and now it is completely healed, without sear or blemish, which is more than I had hoped for. (Signed) Mrs. Rose Ether, 291 Eckford St., Brooklyn, N. Y."

Ivory Congratulations. A very famous American dentist met the English husband of an American tulation: "My dear sir, I wish you joy! teeth."-Fortnightly Review.

### Bold \$2,500 Diamond Robbery.

gained entrance to the apartments of Mrs. D. Gilmore, on Twentieth street and at the point of a revolver, robbed \$2,500 worth of diamonds. The victims were bound and thrust into a closet thousand dollars worth of jewelry was overlooked by robbers.

At a private audience King Victor Emanuel of Italy thanked J. P. Morgan tient. It is this: Make a poultice of for returning the Ascoli cope.

English Shopkeepers.

The upper class in England is sinking; the middle is rising rapidly, and those who belong to the former keep shops in assumed names, while those who belong to the latter endeavor to conceal that they themselves are connected with trade. The conversation of both, however, betrays that they are shopkeepers.-London Truth.

### Cannot Reduce a Rate.

It is stated in Washington that unfixed by the commission it cannot be lowered by a railroad. Should an emergency arise calling for a decreased rate the railroads or shippers would have to appeal again to the commission, there being no latitude allowed. whatever the circumstances. Hitherto a maximum rate has been the rule, but no such concession is made under the proposed legislation.

Courting Bad Luck. There is an old superstition that it

Is bad luck to burn a piece of bread. The origin of this is obvious, though probably few indeed of those who religiously adhere to the superstition have paused to think that it dates from those times when famines were part of the regular order of life.

Famine no longer troubles the imagination of men; but the broad truth under the foolish superstition more likely to bring bad luck than the post and the gate-board; the other of a certain fascinating soda water wasting it in another way. But wast- arm should be about ten inches long. ing anything in any way is extreme provocation to what we call "bad the board near the edge of the post, mary river water, such as is served luck." If the grown people who habitually waste do not suffer for it their through and screw on the nut. Have children surely will-for they will the same arrangement at the lower follow the example set them, and part of the gate. When the gate is rare indeed is it that a family can to be closed turn the bar so that it survive the faults of two successive will not be in the way, and so when wasteful generations.

not stinginess. There are millions the upright piece wal be in position poor and the not-too-well-off, who bar works too readily a nail may be seem to think so. A thorough inves- placed in position against which the tigation would place at the head of bar will rest when it is turned. the list of causes of poverty: "Wastefulness inherited from wasteful parents."-Saturday Evening Post.

Mrs.Tillie Hart

Such testimony should be accepted

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's

well-earned gratitude of American

When women are troubled with irreg-

ceration of the womb, that bearing-

down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating, (or flatu-

lency), general debility, indigestion and

nervous prostration, or are beset with

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs.

Pinkham if there is anything

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* FARM TOPICS.

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WORK THE CORN LAND,

As a rule, farmers don't work their till good planting time, then disk it thoroughly and harrow it. If you roll it between the disking and harrowing it will pay. Do this, and your crop is half made when it is planted.

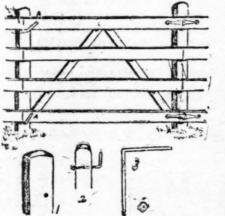
### TO EXTERMINATE LICE.

A poultry paper says that almost all friend of mine with the genial congra- poultry are lousy. Oh, no, not nowa-days. Our hen people know there is You have married a first-rate set of much more money in raising eggs than in raising lice and so they make a study of how to keep the hens "short" on lice and "long" on eggs. The result is shown in the contents of the egg Chicago, Special.-On the pretense basket. The lice are not on friendly of serving a search warrant, three men jerms with kerosene or whitewash .-Weekly Witness.

Mrs. Gilmore and Edward Giroux of SIMPLEREMEDY FOR SCRATCHES . This is the season of the year when horses are liable to be troubled with and the door locked on them. Five cratches, and it is generally very an- lar of Government employes. coying to both horse and owner. In in exchange we notice a simple remedy and one that is claimed to be effiteraped carrots and bind on the foot or feet affected. Two applications are said to be sufficient for even had cases, This remedy is surely simple enough and the cost is down to a minimum; It is surely worth at least a trial by those who have horses troubled with this unsightly and annoying disease .-Weekly Witness.

### MAKING A FARM GATE.

When a gate is of considerable length as farm gates must be to let a wagon pass through, there is always danger that they will sag and mainly because der the Townsend rate bill if a rate is the device used for the latch is faulty. Try the following plan of constructing a latch and see if it does not work well. Have the blacksmith bend a piece of half-inch round iron in L shape, making one arm one-quarter of



Burning bread isn't any an inch longer than the thickness of Bore a hole through the post under the gate is closed it will rest on the Waste is not generosity; thrift is bar. Then turn the bar back so that

The illustration with the drawn details shows the whole plan in such a clear manner that any one can construct such a gate and attach the latches.-Indianapolis News.

### FEMININE DAIRY WISDOM.

PERIODS The young calves should be encouraged, as soon as possible, to eat their grain dry, as it is thus moistened with Suggestions How to Find Relief from Such saliva, and is much more perfectly digested. Do not mix it with their milk or drink.

Nail up a little box about two feet above the floor within their reach and keep a constant supply of bran in it, or bran and middlings. Their sleek, plump, rangy growth will more than repay you.

It will pay you to take extra good care of your cows for a few weeks before they begin to give new milk. How? Feed no heavy grain, keep the bowels open, don't let them get chilled, give warm water at least two days after a cow's sickness. Get started right; the rest will come along just as it should.

Do not wait for the cream to begin to rise on the top of the pail before straining milk. Take it right into the house and strain.

Dehorning cows after they have reached maturity is a pretty serious matter. Better attend to it when they are calves. A five-cent stick of potash rubbed on their horns then will do the job for five or six calves, and the pain will be comparatively nothing.

It doesn't pay to buy poor tinware of any sort-pails, pans or cans. The tin soon wears off and away goes your money and the pails and pans, too. Now is the time to train all the calves to lead. A cow's value is in-

creased many times if she will lead like a horse. A gentle cow is a pleasure; an unmanageable one a nuisance. A gentle, well-trained cow will give more milk.

so that it will not draw across the Put a knot under the chin so it will not draw too tightly around the nose .-

place the headpiece back of the ears

Farm Journal. It Pleases a Man. To be told he is handsome whether

he is or not. To be told he has small feet. To be asked for advice.

To have his lapses credited to an erratic disposition. To be considered an epicure. To be looked up to as a judge of

what's what in the way of cigars, dress, horses, dogs and women. To suppose he is moulding opinions, when really the silly women are only pretending to think as he thinks in order to please him.-Philadelphia Bulle-

### PERSONAL GOSSIP

Glacomo Caponi, dean of the foreign correspondents at Paris, has just retired. He served the Tribuna, of Rome, there for many years.

James McCardle, of Jamaica Plain, Mass., 100 years old, has since 1852 been drawing a pension as a British soldier at sixpence a day.

The Lokal Anzeiger says that the Czarowitz has been ill, and that a specialist in children's diseases was amoned to attend him at Tsarskog-

Archbishop Mesmer, of Milwaukee Wis., has had to ask police protection against the importunities of beggins,

following an article in a local newspaper telling of his liberality as a Albert Midlane, author of that popul lar hymn, "There's a Friend For Little Children," and about a hundred other

hymns, is still living at Newport, Isle

of Wight. He recently celebrated his eightieth birthday. Booker Washington, Jr., the eldest an application for appointment as paymaster in the army. The applicant is

now a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Francis J. Killeny, private secretary | week. of Controller of the Currency Ridgeley, landed in New York from Ireland al-

ago, and is now one of the most popu-

F. M. Cockrell, Jr., son of ex-Senator cane cutter that promises to revolutionize the sugar planting industry of the South, and at the same time to make Hall, its inventor a millionaire.

Henry Waiters, the art coll clor, has announced plans for his new aft galery in the most aristocraff; part of Baltimore, Md., and when completed

### Wholesale Grocers' Meeting.

Norfolk, Va., Special.-Norfolk will secure the annual meeting of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association, to be held June 5, 6, and 7. President J. A. Avanhoes, of Birmingham Ala. has intimated to the Wholesalers' Tobacconists' Associations, of and fore at the South Atlantic ports, will year and the local organization will at business bodies, with a view of securing the meeting.

A California astronomer has discovthe moon.

### COLLEGE NOTES.

Next year the commons at Columbia will be under university supervision. Andrew Carnegie gave Pomona College, at Claremont, Cal., \$40,000 for a library.

Professor F. K. Sanders, of the Theological Department in Yale University, resigned

Andrew Carnegle offered \$50,000 to Drake University; at Des Moines, Is.,

for a library, Knox College, at Galesburg, Ill., was given \$50,000 by Andrew Carnegie for science building.

It was announced that the chair at Columbia held by Professor Felix Adler had been endowed. There is to be a reunion and dinner

of Yale graduates July 29, at the Portland, Oregon, Exposition, Berlin University has more students than any other university in the world

-7774 at present attending lectures. Beloit, Knox, Grinnell and Colorado Colleges and Washburn University son of Booker T. Washington, has filed asked Andrew Carnegie for \$1,000,000

Field work for students of geology at Columbia will begin fluring the second week in June, and will last for one

Barrett Wendell, of the faculty of Harvard University, the other day bemost penniless on July 4, twelve years gan his lectures in the famous Turgot Hall of the Sorbonne, Paris.

President Reed, of Dickinson Colege, announces an additional gift of Cockrell, is the inventor of a sugar \$14,000 by Andrew Carnegle for Conway Hall, making his entire donation \$61,000 and him the sole donor of the

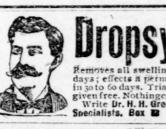
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### Tom Watson's Daughter Weds. Augusta, Ga., Special.-A special to

The Chronicle from Thomson, Ga., says: "Miss Agnes Watson, the only daughter of Hon. Thomas E. Watson was married at the home of her parents in Thomason, Ga., to Mr. Oscar Tidewater Virginia, that the Southern S. Lee, a merchant. Owing to the efbody which has been meeting hereto- feets of a recent illness, due to the accidental taking of an overdose of me libe pleased to come to Norfolk this cine, the young lady is still under the care of a nurse, and the marriage cereonce seek the co-operation of other mony was made as simple and brief as possible. The honeymoon will be spent at Sea Breeze, Fla."

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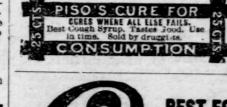
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tucky, has on his place at home an

old darkey who has been with the

family since antebellum days. One

day he came to his employer in much

distress and said he feared there was

no negro heaven. "Oh, yes," said Mr.

James, "all good higgers go to heaven

just the same as white people." The

darkey shook his head mournfully as

he replied: "I dunno, Massa Ollfe; I

done had a dream las' night. I

thought I was daid an' gone to

heaven. If shorely was a beautiful

place. Dere wuz de white gemmens

sittin' around in der chairs an' de

niggers down on dere knees shinin'

up dere golden slippers. Den de

dream kinder changed, and I thought

I wuz in de odder place. What yo'

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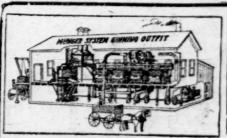
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